

Amendments To Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A PDA portal which facilitates securing a portion of content from a source to a PDA, wherein said PDA portal is configured to:

receive a signal from said PDA indicating said portion of said content to be at least one of refreshed and downloaded;

identify said PDA;

interrogate said source containing said portion of said content to determine when secure content is included in said portion of said content;

connect to an encryption device, which is configured to: establish a secure connection to said source using a negotiated encryption key, ~~secure said portion of said content~~, receive encrypted content which is an encrypted portion of said first content, decrypt said encrypted content, interrogate said encrypted content to identify an embedded link, isolate said imbedded link links, re-encrypt said portion of said first content with an encryption key of a PDA user, receive second content based on said imbedded link, and transmit said imbedded links link, said first content, and said encrypted second content to said PDA portal;

receive said imbedded links link, said first content, and said encrypted second content from said encryption device; and,

transmit said imbedded links link, said first content, and said encrypted second content to said PDA for storage when ~~said portion of~~ said content has been collected from at least one of said source, wherein said encrypted first content and said second content remains encrypted on said PDA.

Claims 2-7 (cancelled)

8. (currently amended) A method for facilitating secure collection of a portion of content from a source using a PDA portal, said method comprising:

receiving a signal indicating ~~said portion of~~ said content to be one of refreshed and downloaded;

interrogating said source containing ~~said portion of~~ said content to determine when secure content is included in ~~said portion of~~ said content;

connecting to an encryption device, which is configured to: establish a secure connection to said source using a negotiated encryption key, ~~secure said portion of said content~~, receive encrypted content which is an encrypted portion of ~~said first~~ content, decrypt said encrypted content, interrogate said encrypted content to identify an embedded link, isolate said imbedded link links, re-encrypt said ~~portion of said first~~ content with an encryption key of a PDA user, receive second content based on said imbedded link, and transmit said imbedded links link, said first content, and said encrypted second content to said PDA portal;

receiving said imbedded links link, said first content, and said encrypted second content from said encryption device; and,

transmitting said imbedded links link, said first content, and said encrypted second content to said PDA for storage when ~~said portion of~~ said content has been collected from at least one of said source, wherein said encrypted first content and said second content remains encrypted on said PDA.

Claims 9-10 (cancelled).

11. (currently amended) A PDA portal which facilitates securing ~~a portion of~~ content from a source to a PDA, wherein said PDA portal is configured to:

receive a signal from said PDA indicating ~~said portion of~~ said content to be at least one of refreshed and downloaded;

request secure content from a web site using a hardware encryption device, which is configured to: establish a secure connection to said source using a negotiated encryption key, ~~secure said portion of said content~~, receive encrypted content which is an encrypted portion of said first content, decrypt said encrypted content, interrogate said encrypted content to identify an embedded link, isolate said imbedded link links, re-encrypt said ~~portion of~~ said first content with an encryption key of a PDA user, receive second content based on said imbedded link, and transmit said imbedded links link, said first content, and said encrypted second content to said PDA portal;

transmit said imbedded links link, said first content, and said encrypted second content to said PDA for storage when ~~said portion of~~ said content has been collected from at least one of said source, wherein said encrypted first content and said second content remains encrypted on said PDA.

12. (currently amended) The PDA portal of claim 11, wherein said PDA portal is further configured to:

identify said PDA;

interrogate said source containing said portion of said first content to determine when said secure content is included in said portion of said first content; and
encrypt said first content using said hardware encryption device and a user pass-phrase.

Claims 13-14 (cancelled)